Tiruvanchikulam Canal dues.

159. മിസ്റ്റർ എ. കെ. കുഞ്ഞുമൊയ്തീൻ.—(a) ൧൯൦൫-ൽ തിരുവഞ്ചിക്കുളം കനാലാപ്പീസ്സിലെ പിരിവു എന്തായിരുന്നുവെന്നും, (b) അതിൽ കൊടുങ്ങല്ലൂരിലെ വാഹനങ്ങളിൽ നിന്നുണ്ടായ പിരിവു എത്രയെന്നും, (c) ടി ആപ്പീസ്സിലേക്കു വേണ്ടിവന്ന ചിലവുകൾ (ശമ്പളം, പേയിൻഡിങ്ങ് ചാർജ്ജ് മുതലായവ ഇനംതിരിച്ചു കാണിക്കണം) എത്രയെന്നും വിശദമായി പ്രസ്താവിക്കുമൊ?

മിസ്റ്റർ വി. കെ. അരവിന്ദാക്ഷമേനോൻ.—(a) ൧,൭൫൫ ക. ൯ ണ. ൫ പൈ.

(b) ൨,൯൫൫ ക. ൫൭. ൦ പൈ.

		ക.	ണ.	പ.
(c)	ശമ്പളം	൯,൭൭൭	൦	൦
	ബത്ത	൨൫൫	൯൯	൦
	ബോട്ടുകൂലി മുതലായവ	൯൨൦	൦	൦
	ആനാപ്പുഴ—തിരുവഞ്ചിക്കുളം തോട്ടിൽ വിളക്കുവകക്ക്	൫൭	൯൫	൦
	പേയിൻഡിങ്ങ് മുതലായതു	൯൫൯	൫	൦
	ഉടുപ്പ്	൫൯	൭	൨
	സാദൽവാരം	൯൫	൦	൦
		൨,൫൫൫	൭	൨
	(or say)	൨,൫൫൦	൦	൦

Appointment of an acting Parvatiam.

160. Mr. Ouseph P. Kundukulam.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) the name of the acting Parvatiam of Kaiparamba Group Villages of Trichur Taluk appointed in the recent leave arrangement of acting Parvatiam Manazhi Kochukrishna Menon;

(2) if any of his seniors had put forth their claims to the post under reference;

(3) if the representations of the seniors were real, it may be stated if their claims were considered;

(4) if the answer to (3) is in the negative, the reason why preference was given to a junior may be given?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—(1) K. R. Rama Panikkar, permanent Menon, Avanur Group and native of Anjur village in the Kaiparamba Group.

(2) Yes. K. M. Michael, the Menon of Peramangalam, who is senior to Rama Panikkar in point of service had advanced his claim.

(3) His claims were considered.

(4) Preference was given to a junior in pursuance of the

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policy laid down by Government that frequent transfers of village officers in short vacancies should be deprecated and in consideration of efficiency.

161. Mr. Ouseph P. Kundukulam.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether Rama Panikkar, the present acting Parvatiam of Kaiparamba Group Villages of Trichur Taluk, has ever been the clerk of the Kaiparamba Group Village Panchayat;

(2) if so, whether there had been any complaints against him as Panchayat clerk;

(3) if the answer to (2) above is in the affirmative, what were the complaints ;

(4) whether the complaints were enquired into, and if so, what was the result of the enquiry ;

(5) how and when the said Rama Panikkar severed his connection with the Panchayat ?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—(1) Yes.

(2) Yes.

(3) The complaint was that Rama Panikkar forged the signature of the then President of the Panchayat.

(4) The complaint was duly enquired into with the result that Rama Panikkar was found to be blameless.

(5) He was relieved of his duties as Panchayat clerk on his own request on 15th Mithunam 1100.

162. Mr. Ouseph P. Kundukulam.—Will the Government be pleased to state if and why the Superintendent of Agriculture and Panchayats took objection when one Raman Changarath Rama Panikkar, the then Village Menon of Avanoor Group Villages, began to discharge the duties of the Panchayat clerk of the Group Panchayats as his predecessors were doing ?

Mr. I. Raman Menon.— Yes; because his behaviour while he was the clerk of the Kaiparamba Panchayat Office was very unsatisfactory.

Canal from Coonnoolly canal to Vettikadavu.

163. Mr. K. T. Mathew.—Will the Government be pleased to state what steps have been taken by the Government for opening a canal from the Coonnoolly canal to Vettikadavu and whether correspondence regarding this matter will be placed on the Table?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—The question of the proposed canal is under investigation by P. W. D. As a major portion of the alignment of the canal passes through British territory, the Madras Government has to be addressed on the completion of the investigation. And, as it stands, no public

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